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CONSUMER PACK CHICKENS, INVITATION NO. 2, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-302

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell frozen consumer pack chickens as indicated below and per the Announcement for domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Monday, Sept. 26. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Sept. 30. Deliveries are to be made from Nov. 1 to Nov. 15.

Offers are invited from the trade for frozen U.S. Grade A ready-to-cook young chickens, with neck and giblets. Individual chickens must weigh 3 to 4.25 pounds (1.36 to 1.93 kg) per carcass weighed without neck and giblets. The commodity must be commercially labeled and packed in individual plastic-film bags with 10-12 chickens per fiberboard shipping container. A purchase unit will total 39,600 pounds (17,962 kg).

All offers must be submitted electronically through the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) website at <https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?>. Offers submitted by any means other than DEBES will be considered nonresponsive.

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-302, Appendix-1, the Commodity Specification for Frozen Consumer Pack Chickens dated July 2005, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260, 1400 Independence Ave., SW, Washington, D.C. 20250, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this Invitation can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.

Purchases will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-302, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by mechanically refrigerated trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY302
INVITATION : 002
COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 51 CHICKEN, FROZEN WHOLE BAGGED
PACK SIZE : 36 36-43 LB CTN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
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DELIVERY PERIOD 11/01/05 - 11/15/05

001	BOSTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
002	HILLSIDE	NJ	TRUCK ONLY	118,800
003	HILLSIDE	NJ	TRUCK ONLY	26,336
	VINELAND	NJ	TRUCK ONLY	13,264
004	NEPTUNE	NJ	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
	PENNSAUKEN	NJ	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
005	VINELAND	NJ		39,600
006	ALTOONA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	19,800
	WILKES-BARRE	PA	TRUCK ONLY	19,800
007	ALTOONA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
008	PHILADELPHIA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	79,200
009	SUNBURY	PA	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
010	BIRMINGHAM	AL	TRUCK ONLY	12,276
	HUNTSVILLE	AL	TRUCK ONLY	13,464
	THEODORE	AL	TRUCK ONLY	13,860
011	BIRMINGHAM	AL	TRUCK ONLY	21,040
	MONTGOMERY	AL	TRUCK ONLY	11,600
	THEODORE	AL	TRUCK ONLY	6,960
012	ATHENS	GA	TRUCK ONLY	9,900
	MACON	GA	TRUCK ONLY	19,800
	VALDOSTA	GA	TRUCK ONLY	9,900
013	ATLANTA	GA	TRUCK ONLY	39,600
014	COLUMBUS	GA	TRUCK ONLY	39,600

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015	ATHENS	GA	TRUCK ONLY	13,200
	AUGUSTA	GA	TRUCK ONLY	13,200
	SAVANNAH	GA	TRUCK ONLY	13,200
016	ALBANY	GA	TRUCK ONLY	13,200
	MACON	GA	TRUCK ONLY	13,200
	SAVANNAH	GA	TRUCK ONLY	13,200
017	COLUMBIA	SC	TRUCK ONLY	118,800

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 910,800

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Dennis J. Pearson
Contracting Officer

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